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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—My house on Lincoln Ave., Barton. Silver. 17tf

FOR SALE—Good handmade, one-horse lumber wagon. A. D. Beede, Orleans. 23tf

FOR SALE—Small writing desk, couch, hammock and couch. R. M. Lane, Orleans. Phone 45. 1w

FOR SALE—House and land on Park street. Lucy M. Robinson, Barton. 24tf

FOR SALE—Good driving horse, wagon, sleigh, harness. Inquire of L. A. Hazen, Newport. 22tf

FOR SALE—Modern seven-room cottage, all furnished, and boat house on Crystal Lake. Write or see A. B. Dow, St. Johnsbury. 24-27

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One registered Guernsey bull, 2 years old this June. A fine animal. Price \$600 if sold at once. Dodge, Orleans. 23tf

FOR SALE—Second-hand Dodge touring car in first-class condition. Newly overhauled. Price right. Inquire, A. R. Bennett, Orleans. Phone 54-2. 21tf

FOR SALE—One top buggy, three driving harnesses, nearly new, one small-size Eddy refrigerator. One blue-flame oil stove, three burner. F. C. Brown, Orleans, Vt. 23-24

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Shop on Water street, Barton village, formerly known as the "George Nye wheelwright shop," with water power. This shop contains a fully-equipped wheelwright and wood-working shop planers, bench saws, turning lathe, and other machinery for wood working. Also a fully-equipped blacksmith shop, also a complete tenement. Call upon or address E. C. Kimball or F. W. Baldwin, Barton, Vt. 22-24

WANTED

WANTED—Live poultry. Elrick, Barton. 18tf

WANTED—Sound, clean sacks. R. P. Webster, Barton. 35tf

WANTED—Competent woman for housework. Mrs. H. W. Carter, Barton. 23tf

WANTED—Position as foreman on a large farm. L. W. Merriam, West Glover. 19tf

WANTED—Woman operators for handkerchief factory. R. W. Elbridge Co., Orleans. 23-25

WANTED—Young man to work in creamery and learn the business. Jersey Star Creamery, Irasburg. 21tf

WANTED—Your sound, hard maple sugar in wooden pails. Can pay top price for standard article any day except Sunday. Ray P. Webster, Barton, Vt. Buying for H. Waite & Son.

WANTED—To buy yearlings, two-year-olds and dry cows, also new milch and springers. Stock taken every Monday. Also sugar and wool. W. E. Hanson. 16tf

TEAMS WANTED—We are in want of a number of teams to draw slab wood from Irasburg to be loaded on the cars. Will pay \$1.50 per cord for drawing. E. L. Chandler Co., Orleans. 21tf

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SERVICE—Registered Berkshire boar. Fee, \$1.50. M. E. Calkins, Westmore. 1wp

A lady with a child would like a position as housekeeper in a small family. Mrs. Lawrence Emerson, Orleans, R. F. D. Care of P. E. Roberts. 23-24

FARMERS' NOTICE—Wanted at stock yards every Monday beef, Bologna cattle, calves, hogs, also maple sugar and wool for which I will pay you the highest cash price. Both phones in house, Dodge, Orleans. 21tf

TO RENT

See ad wool carding and hand-spun yarns. e3w

TO RENT—Boat spaces in club house. Henry Gay. 22-24-26

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms. Mrs. Pawney, High street. 22-24

TO RENT—Tenement on Harrison Ave. Address Douglass Lester, 9 Summer St., St. Johnsbury. 21tf

Red Cross News.

The following have contributed recently to the Red Cross in Barton: Mrs. Helen Scott, \$1
Mrs. F. W. Baldwin, 2
Mrs. C. H. Hanson, 2
Mrs. H. P. Cook, 1
Mrs. F. H. Pillsbury, 1
Proceeds of benefit given by Carl Hagar, 3
The Red Cross will occupy the domestic science room in the school building during the summer.

County Fair as Usual.

The directors of the Orleans County fair met at Hotel Barton Saturday and voted to hold the annual event August 21, 22 and 23 as usual. Rumor has been abroad that there was to be no fair this year on account of the war, but the directors plan a larger and better event than usual.

Pomona Grange at Charleston.

Prospect Pomona Grange will meet at West Charleston June 28. The subject for discussion is, "Suffrage."

BARTON LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. Adolphus Martell is very sick. John Bushaw is in very poor health. Ina Paige of Boston is at her home here for a time.

O. D. Rowell was very ill last week, but is improving.

Mrs. J. Brooks has recovered from her recent illness.

Miss Lillian Mason is working in the Peerless factory.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Prescott spent Sunday in Lyndonville.

Mrs. W. B. Proctor visited relatives in Sherbrooke last week.

Mrs. George Stevens has been quite ill, but is improving.

Mrs. George Rowen spent Sunday with Mr. Rowen in St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. C. C. Brooks of Lyndonville visited relatives in town last week.

Miss Hall of St. Johnsbury is visiting her cousin, Mrs. O. D. Rowell.

Leo LeBlanc of the Monitor force spent the week-end at his home in Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paddleford visited relatives in Craftsbury over Sunday.

Mrs. J. N. Webster, who has been ill for several weeks, remains about the same.

J. P. Telfer is building a cement walk from the street to his home on Church street.

Miss Lillian Robinson of Boston is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Robinson.

Henry Valley, who has been very ill with rheumatic fever, remains about the same.

H. J. McCaffrey of Lyndonville was the week-end guest of his aunt, Mrs. Peter Cota.

Miss Lois Hawkins of St. Johnsbury was the guest of friends in town for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gardiner attended the funeral of a relative at Boltonville yesterday.

Miss Viola Rollins of Newport visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Rollins, the first of the week.

F. D. Pierce, H. T. Seaver and F. A. Hunt are attending Grand Masonic lodge in Burlington this week.

Mrs. E. E. Doe of Orleans has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cook.

H. A. Elliott, who has been ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elliott, is improving.

Miss Mildred Richardson of Lebanon, N. H., is spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Morse.

Ora Proctor of Bradford is spending some time at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Proctor.

Miss Katherine McCook is keeping books and doing office work for R. L. French in the H. P. Hood office.

Miss Glen Lang takes the place of Mrs. C. B. Webster, who has gone to Springfield, Mass., in the Perley store.

Harry Humphrey of St. Johnsbury, who has enlisted in the naval reserve, served called on friends in town last week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scott of West Charleston recently. Mr. Scott is a former Barton boy.

Mrs. Charles Morse and Mrs. Cora Winslow attended the funeral of Mrs. Morse's brother, Mr. Moody, at Newport Monday.

Miss Clemma Seaver has gone to Pisgah Lodge for the summer. Miss Mary Wheeler was a week-end guest at the Lodge.

Miss Alice Lane and Charles Smith both of Craftsbury were married at the parsonage by Rev. Wilmond Warner, May 30th.

Miss Hattie J. Achilles and William H. Kaiser both of Orleans were married at the parsonage June 9th by Rev. Warner.

Charles C. Baldwin of Keene, N. H., who has been spending a few days at Long pond and with friends in town, returned home Sunday.

Miss Dorothy D. Boulton of Newport and Royal Woodard of Westmore were married at the parsonage June 2nd by Rev. Wilmond Warner.

Mrs. H. J. Stannard is in Orleans where she will have charge for a few weeks of the jewelry store formerly conducted there by James May.

G. L. Merriam is home from Greenfield, Mass., for a few days, packing and shipping his household goods to that place, where he has a position with the Greenfield Buick company.

Pisgah Lodge at the south end of Willoughby lake opens for its third season Saturday. This place is run by two Barton young people and our people take special interest in the doings of Pisgah Lodge.

CLOSING WEEK OF SCHOOL EVENTS

Important Speaker Tonight. Commencement Tomorrow Evening and Alumni Meet Friday.

This is a busy week in school circles. Every evening marks some event.

At 8 o'clock tonight occurs the grammar school graduation exercises in Alumni hall and C. M. Hill will be the speaker. Mr. Hill is supervisor of the junior high school work of the state and a well-known educator. He will bring a message on educational topics worthy of a large audience.

The regular commencement exercises of the high school will take place in Seaver's hall tomorrow evening. Following is the program.

Musical selection, Orchestra Invocation, Rev. Wilmond A. Warner

The Possibilities of Alaska, Clifford R. Dunham

Piano solo, Miss Florence M. Blair

The Virgin Islands, Miss Clara M. Barnard

The Russian Revolution, Lee E. Emerson

Trio, The Misses Florence E. Miles, Theda M. Dunham, I. Lillian Mason.

The Future Farm of America, Albert D. Gilmour

Silent Places, Miss Rose M. Sherburne

Musical selection, Class Ode

Presentation of Gifts, Miss Hazel M. Brahana

Valedictory, Miss Vera M. Carpenter

Musical selection, Training Class Song

Words by Miss Elizabeth V. Simon, music by Miss Florence M. Blair

Presentation of Diplomas, Dr. J. A. Pearson

Benediction, Rev. Wilmond A. Warner

Musical selection, Orchestra

There will be dancing from close of program until 12:00.

Friday evening the Alumni association will meet for a social event in Alumni hall. The usual banquet with the attendant expense and waste is to be omitted as a war-time example of economy. In the afternoon class reunions will be held in the hall at 2:30 o'clock.

Last evening the grade pupils gave a musical entertainment in Seaver's hall which has come to be an annual event looked forward to by pupils and public. The entertainment was in the form of folk dances and songs of the nations by the youngsters of the lower grades. Many nations were represented, each national group having a standard banner carrying the flag of the nation. The opening and closing numbers showed Uncle Sam and the stars and stripes as the predominating nation and the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," brought the very successful entertainment to a close. Miss Ruggles, music teacher, had the training and oversight of this event and she is to be congratulated.

The junior reception to the graduating class at Alumni hall Monday evening was a brilliant affair. The receiving line was long, the music furnished by the high school orchestra good, the dancing and promenade enjoyed, and the refreshments bountiful. The orchestra is composed of Elizabeth Cutler, piano; Henry Cutler, violin; Neil Gardiner, drum and Percily Drew, clarinet. The hall was not elaborately, but very neatly decorated.

An event which cannot be called a strictly commencement-week event, but nevertheless deserves mention, was the Japanese operetta, "Princess Chrysanthemum," given in Seaver's hall Wednesday evening of last week by the glee club of the academy. The cast was printed last week and the work of the young people is to be especially commended when it is known that many of those in the cast were out of school doing farm work, which made rehearsals almost impossible. As someone remarked, the presentation was really a dress rehearsal, but so good a one that the audience was high in praise of the event. Miss Ruggles also had charge of this entertainment.

Excellent reports of the work of Barton women on the county jubilee missionary program given at Newport last week are received. Those who appeared on the program were Mrs. E. W. Barron, Miss Mary Wheeler and Miss Clemma Seaver.

The Monitor failed to mention the fact last week that the weekly Saturday evening band concerts had begun. The band is playing extremely well this spring and has given two special concerts to large numbers of people. The concert Saturday evening will be down street.

Frank H. Dana, treasurer of the Valley Savings Bank and Trust company, and Miss Cynthia Jones were quietly married Wednesday morning of last week at North Troy in rooms already prepared for their occupancy over the store of M. A. Toof & Company, and soon left by automobile for a trip. Upon their return they will go to housekeeping there. Mr. Dana is a Barton boy and receives our congratulations.

Owing to other duties Mrs. Stannard did not feel able to take the office of president of the Woman's Literary club. At a meeting of the trustees on Friday evening, June 8, Miss Belle Butler was elected president of the club. Club day was celebrated by a picnic lunch at Le Beau Lac Boat Club house on Saturday. The club wish to thank the committee, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Caron and Miss Pierpont, for a most delightful outing.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes.

Rev. I. A. Ranney, Pastor.

Sunday, June 17th.

Morning worship at 10:45.

Sunday school, 12:00

Junior League at 4 o'clock.

Epworth League, 6 o'clock.

Leader, Mrs. Ranney. Students' recognition night. Prov. 1:2-7; 9:9-12; I Kings, 3:5-14.

Evening worship at 7.

Remember the prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:15 so those present will be able to attend the Commencement exercises.

We listened to a live sermon Sunday from II Kings 6:2.

Theme, "Our Outlook upon Life through the Human Eye." We go through the world blind unless God opens our eyes and gives the divine touch. We see God's world. We live to serve like Christ did. We help our friends up instead of down. Christ is our personal Saviour and a Saviour for the world. We see the church standing for the best things. We see in the future a bright and happy eternity.

At the evening service Mr. Ranney spoke to the graduating classes from II Kings, 13:18, "And he smote thrice and stayed." Success is gained only by hard digging and keeping persistently at whatever we undertake. We do not reach efficiency in a day or an hour. It is long years, stroke by stroke, which complete the best paintings.

Congregational Church Notes

Rev. W. A. Warner, Pastor.

Sunday, June 17th.

10:45, Morning service.

12:00, Sunday school.

6:00, Christian Endeavor meeting.

Do not forget the prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

For an offertory Sunday morning Miss Willson and Mrs. J. F. Batchelder played an organ and piano duet that was much appreciated by the audience. Next Sunday Leon Batchelder will play a flute solo as an offertory.

F. H. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cutler and Mrs. J. F. Batchelder have been elected delegates to the county conference of Congregational churches to be held in Irasburg next week.

Sunday and Monday were two as wet days as one often sees in June. Rain fell almost constantly and the streams rose to considerable height. Tuesday morning was also wet but before noon the clouds broke away and the sun came out. Following a generally wet, cold season, many have feared for the seed already planted but with a little warm, sunny weather now everything will grow rapidly. The hay crop is almost assured as being a good one owing to the rains.

The flower mission meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held in the vestry of the Congregational church June 12. The meeting opened with the reading of scripture by the president, Mrs. E. R. Cook, followed by the Lord's prayer in unison. The report of the last meeting was read and accepted. Piano solos were given by Elizabeth Erwin, Marie Browning and Mrs. Adams. Report of the county conference was given by Mrs. F. E. Nelson. After adjournment fruit punch and wafers were served and flowers were sent to the sick and shut-ins.

Barton people were prominent at the meeting of the Grand Lodge O. E. S., at Burlington last week. The Burlington Free Press in reporting proceedings said: "The session was presided over by Mrs. Florence K. Pierce of Barton, grand matron. Mrs. Pierce is the youngest matron yet elected as the head of the Vermont chapter and her executive ability and pleasing personality resulted in a most prosperous year for the chapter. At the evening session Mrs. Pierce was presented with a past grand matron's jewel in token of the regard in which she is held. F. W. Cutting of Barton was made district deputy grand patron and F. W. Baldwin was elected president of the past Grand Matrons' and Past Grand Patrons' association."

COVENTRY

James Labell has purchased an Allen car.

Miss Mabel Ware is home from Derby Line.

Ora Davis has moved into the house vacated by E. P. Burt.

Ellis Smith has returned from his school in Garden City, L. I.

Rev. W. L. Bradford attended the preacher's meeting at Lyndonville yesterday.

J. P. Wheelock has the champion hen. She laid an egg which measured 6"x8 3/4" inches.

Mrs. Bert Ware received a postcard shower Friday, it being her birthday, for which she wishes to thank her friends.

Mrs. E. P. Burt has sold her house to A. D. Thurber and has moved to West Derby, where she will live with her daughter.

Miss Sarah Cowles and Mrs. Kellogg of New York City and Mrs. A. R. Cowles of Barton called on friends here Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Claris, Mrs. W. R. Shippee and Mrs. H. C. Cleveland attended the missionary meeting at Newport last week.

EXPLOSION KILLS THREE HOLLAND MEN

Gas Tank Blows Up, Killing Two Instantly. Cause Not Known.

Saturday afternoon Eugene Gray and Harry and Merle Wheeler were refilling a gas tank near H. A. Wheeler's store in Holland, when it exploded, killing Mr. Gray and Harry Wheeler instantly. Merle lived until 10 o'clock that night. The cause of the accident is unknown.

Mr. Gray was born in Lancaster, N. H., in 1869. He leaves a wife and four children and one brother, Fred, of St. Johnsbury, beside many relatives and a great many friends.

Harry Wheeler was born in Holland in 1889. He leaves a wife and two children, a father and mother and two sisters, Mrs. L. C. Gage of Derby, Mrs. Oral Corlis and Gary Wheeler besides six brothers and five sisters.

Merle Wheeler was 15 years old. He leaves a mother and father, seven brothers and seven sisters.

HOLLAND

An account of the explosion will be found on page one.

Mrs. Betsey Applebee of Lake is visiting at George Rumery's.

Rev. John Robinson of Lunenburg spent the week at M. A. Sykes'.

Pearl Gibson of Derby Line spent the past week with John Hall.

Miss Hazel Derusha of Newport has been spending several days with Helen Sykes.

Miss Ruth Hall of Newport has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hall.

Mrs. Betsy E. Ewens died on the evening of June 4th, at her home at Demick's mills. The funeral was held in the M. E. church Thursday afternoon.

MORGAN CENTER

Dr. E. A. Taylor of Derby Line was a visitor in town last week.

Elmer LaBounty's little child has been quite sick the past week.

H. W. Danforth's family are at their cottage at Lake Seymour.

Mrs. Lilla Belrose of Island Pond visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Ewens last week.

Mrs. L. H. Burroughs, who has been home for a short visit, has returned to her home in Island Pond.

The pulp company's men, who are working at Perrin's river, are occupying the house of the late Joel Wilson.

On Wednesday, June 6, a pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Mary's church, Newport, when Miss Ida Blanche DeLouria, oldest daughter of William DeLouria, was united in marriage to David Joseph Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Perry of Derby. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Bastien at 8 o'clock, only a few relatives and friends of the contracting parties being present to witness it. The bride looked charming, being beamingly gowned in a dress of white silk messaline and wore a veil. She was attended by Miss Sylvia Perry, a sister of the groom, who also made a charming appearance. Wilfred L. DeLouria, a brother, acted as best man. After the ceremony the newly wedded couple drove to the bride's home where dinner was served to nearly 20 relatives and friends. In the evening a reception was given at the groom's home, over 100 being present. The happy couple received a large number of costly and useful presents, which bore ample testimony to the esteem held for them. All departed in the early morning wishing Mr. and Mrs. Perry much happiness and success.

WESTMORE

Mrs. George Myers is a little better.

The Wilson children have been having the measles.

Mrs. Mary Rand has returned from Morrisville much improved.

Wm. Thornton has moved into Mrs. M. E. Calkins' tenement vacated by Henry Switzer.

Mrs. L. A. Wilson has returned from Boston. She left her son, Alvin, there for further examination.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. French recently received word that their son, Wayne, expected soon to leave for France.

Registration list of Westmore, June 5th, 1917.

Bond, Frederick Alexander. Bousquet, Dennis H. Buskey, Ora Paul. Conley, Gerald Eugene. Donna, Medie Joseph. Davis, Archie.

Daniels, Carroll Wilmer. Gaboriault, Stanislas Joseph. Ingersoll, Charles Boardman. Lyon, Oscar Elwin. LaClair, Charles Herschell. Robinson, Levi P. Stevens, Leonard Ray. Thornton, William Richard. Tatro, Charles Joseph. Tatro, Fred Harry. Willis, Levi Merritt. Woodard, Harold Gardner. Woodard, Royal Edward.

County Congregationalists to Meet in Irasburg.

Following is the program of the 77th annual meeting of the Orleans association of Congregational churches to be held at Irasburg, Tuesday, June 19.

10:00 Devotional service, Rev. B. M. Scudder, East Charleston

10:15 Organization, Reading of Minutes

10:30 Words of Welcome, Rev. M. G. Tupper, Irasburg

Greetings from a Sister Denomination, Rev. C. W. Kelley, Pastor, M. E. Church of Irasburg

Response by the Moderator

10:45 Reports from Standing Committees

11:00 Impressions of the State convention at Brandon

Rev. F. W. Baldwin, Barton, Rev. C. C. Claris, Coventry

Duet, Misses Ruth and Leonie Wheeler, Irasburg

11:15 Association sermon, Rev. W. R. Price, West Charleston

11:45 Business

12:00 Dinner in the vestry.

1:30 Devotional service, Rev. E. C. Hayes, Greensboro

1:45 Written reports from the churches to be read by the delegates

2:15 Report of Treasurer, C. A. Wood, Newport

2:30 "Patriotism and the World War"

Patriotism in the Home, Rev. R. Lawton, Island Pond

2:45 Patriotism in the Church, Rev. Wm. Miller, North Troy

3:00 Patriotism in the State, Ex-Gov. G. H. Prouty, Newport

3:20 Patriotism and Agriculture, H. F. Johnson, Newport

3:40 Patriotism and the Liberty Loan, W. H. Gilpin, Barton

4:00 Open Discussion and Questions on the above topics, led by Rev. W. A. Warner, Barton

Solo, Mrs. M. C. Tupper

4:30 The Ladies' Missionary meeting

Mrs. E. W. Barron, Barton

Mrs. J. F. Kendrick, Vice Pres. of the Home Missions Vermont

Meeting of the General Council in the vestry